

Cochise Youth Classic draws 400 runners

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Smith Middle School, Myer Elementary School and Bella Vista Elementary School each won two divisions at the Cochise Youth Classic Run Saturday in Sierra Vista.

Smith Middle School won both the boys' and girls' titles in the 11-12 age group while Myer won both titles in the 9-10 age group and Bella Vista won both title in the 8 and under age group.

Stephen Booker of Smith won the 11-12 boys' race in 12:39 over the 2.1-mile course to lead Smith to 55 points.

Jaime Flores of Apache Middle School was second in 13:05 and Chance Smith of Smith was third

in 13:17.

Sean Eustice of Sierra Vista Middle School came in fourth in 13:32 with Daniel Ward of Smith fifth in 13:36, Jason Mulvery of Bella Vista sixth in 14:04 and Marcus Dunson of Apache seventh in 14:13.

James Ramer of Myer came in eighth in 14:33, Bryan Roepken of Smith was ninth in 14:33 and Steven Powers of Apache was 10th in 14:43.

Mary Ann Teribury of Apache won the 11-12 girls' race in 14:23 over the 2.1-mile course. But Smith had six finishers in the top 10 to win the race with 69 points.

Sonya Milloy of Smith finished second in 14:47 with teammates Kiley Smith third in 14:53, Alexandra Auldredge fourth in 15:14,

Ashley Walker fifth in 15:19 and Rebecca Hensley sixth in 15:39.

Kate Wolken of Town and Country finished seventh in 15:53, Olivia Molina of Lowell was eighth in 16:01, Jamie Jarboe of Sierra Vista Middle School was ninth in 16:17 and Nicole Eileen Barnett of Smith was 10th in 16:23.

Karl Brenner of Carmichael won the 9-10 boys' race in 13:43, but Myer had seven of the top 15 finishers to win with 49 points.

Zack Smith of Bella Vista finished second in 13:44 with Tyrone Mack of Myer third in 13:59, Clay Wren of Myer fourth in 14:01, Andrew Mears of Bella Vista fifth in 14:02 and Alex Wyer of Myer sixth in 14:11.

J.C. Luna of Village Meadows was seventh in 14:28 with Andrew

Seth DeCuir of Village Meadows eighth in 14:29, Sean Tillman of Village Meadows ninth in 14:31 and Ham Clarrington of Myer 10th in 14:48.

Amy Esquivel of Bella Vista won the 9-10 girls' race in 15:19, beating classmate Breanna Nicholson by three seconds.

But Myer had eight runners in the top 15 to take the team title with 68 points.

Nicole Derrick of Myer finished third in 15:32, Alicia Walker of Myer was fourth in 15:45, Amber Almadeddine of Bella Vista fifth in 15:57 and Shirley Shelton of Myer sixth in 16:02.

Akilah Howard of Myer finished seventh in 16:03 with

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Amanda Knick of Myer eighth in 16:07, Corey Phillips of Myer ninth in 16:09 and Jamie Shatto of Village Meadows 10th in 16:10.

Soloman Buckhanan of Bella Vista won the eight and under boys' race in 8:23 over the 1.2-mile course to lead Bella Vista to the title with 82 points.

Justin Dannels of Bella Vista was second in 8:28 and was followed by classmates Daniel J. Hamilton in third (8:28), Justin Wright in fourth (8:37) and Kyle Hilb in fifth (8:41).

David Pomarnke of Johnston was sixth in 8:46 with Scott Teribury of Pueblo del Sol seventh in 8:57, Eduardo Ramirez of Bella Vista eighth in 9:07, Stephen Bostwick of Huachuca Mountain ninth in 9:12 and A.J. Nelson of Tombstone 10th in 9:15.

Lilly Schmidt of Bella Vista won the 8 and under girls' race in 8:57 to lead Bella Vista to the title with 87 points.

Megan Miller of Bella Vista was second in 9:04, Stephanie Caverder of Huachuca Mountain third in 9:07, Beth Hall of Bella Vista fourth in 9:25, Wendy Nachtwaih of Bella Vista fifth in 9:47 and Lace Puffer of Bella Vista sixth in 9:51.

Amanda Fehrenbach of Bella Vista finished seventh in 9:56, Natasha McClendon of Bella Vista was eighth in 9:58, Jami Perez of Bella Vista was ninth in 9:59 and Melissa Douglas of Huachuca Mountain came in 10th in 10:01.

More than 400 runners competed in the race with Myer Elementary leading the way with 112 runners.